

Colds, Coughs, Catarrh

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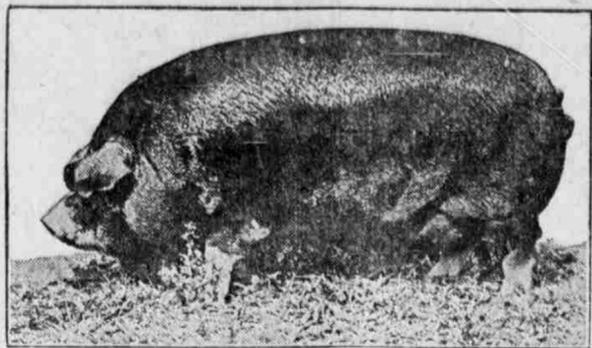
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Advertisement for 160-acre farms in Western Canada, free to settlers. Includes details about land quality, transportation, and contact information for M. J. Johnston and R. A. Garrett.

WELL-BRED HOGS GIVE BETTER RESULTS THAN ANY OTHER BRANCH OF LIVE STOCK



SPLENDID SPECIMEN OF BROOD SOW.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

No branch of live-stock farming gives better results than the raising of well-bred swine when conducted with a reasonable amount of intelligence. The hog is one of the most important animals to raise on the farm, either for meat or for profit, and no farm is complete unless some hogs are kept to aid in the modern method of farming.

ing sections there is wasted annually a vast quantity of unmarketable products that might be used with profit in feeding hogs. The dairy districts offer an advantage to the hog raiser by furnishing such by-products as skim milk and buttermilk, which are especially relished and profitably utilized by growing pigs.

In the extreme West the alfalfa of the irrigated valleys and the clover of the coast districts offer a splendid foundation for successful pork production. In most of these regions there is an abundance of small grain, particularly barley, that may often be fed economically, while in some localities corn is a successful crop.

Location of Farm for Hogs.

The selection of a region is not of paramount importance in hog raising in the United States, for swine are successfully and profitably grown in practically all localities and on almost any type of soil; still, if the breeder is free to choose a location the following points should be considered:

An ideal location is on a well-drained farm possessing a rich soil that will produce grasses and other forage as well as the grains needed for fattening hogs. This does not mean, however, that only those farmers holding rich, level lands should raise hogs, for as a matter of fact hogs are most easily handled on farms that are somewhat rolling. For the production of forage crops the rolling farm is often as good as the level one, and it often has the added advantage of shade and a better water supply. The hill farmer does not have the best situation in all things, but in many instances he has certain advantages which he does not appreciate.

It is an advantage to locate in a hog-raising community. There are many small problems in management which cannot be touched upon in a general discussion of hog raising, but they may be learned through actual experience in one's own community. In such cases the older breeders have for a long time been in contact with local conditions, and a new man may profit by their experiences without spending several years acquiring one of his own. Then, too, if a whole community will raise a certain grade or breed of hog, it can obtain a reputation for its product as a community such as an individual never could hope to win.

The question of a market must always be considered, especially the facilities for reaching it and the type of hog it demands. Most communities have been successfully connected with the large central markets by the railroads, but these will be of little avail if the roads to the stations are poor. Good roads are of inestimable importance, for, among other things, they enable the farmer to market his products at any and all times, thus taking advantage of any favorable fluctuation in the market prices.

Number of Hogs for a Farm.

This question must be determined by a study of local conditions and the type of farming. The maximum number of hogs per acre is found on farms chiefly or wholly devoted to the raising of that class of stock; as, for example, in the state of Iowa, where it is quite common to see farms averaging a number of hogs to the acre, although the average for the entire state is one hog to every three acres of improved farm land. Under ordinary conditions hogs return the largest profit when raised to utilize waste products, and when kept for this purpose alone the number will depend upon the quantity of waste products to be consumed. Skim milk from dairy herds; shattered grain from grain fields; unmarketable products from the truck farm; undigested grain in the droppings of fattening steers; and many other minor wastes on the average farm are examples of food-stuffs which would be wasted were it not for their utilization by the thrifty farmer for the production of pork. In order to utilize some of these products, it is necessary to have a number of pigs on hand for a relatively short time on account of the perishable nature of these feeds. The rest of the year the fattening pigs and the breeding stock must be maintained upon feed raised expressly for their consumption, and while they are not kept at a loss during this time, still the greatest profit is derived when they are eating their cheap feed in the form of waste products, and the number of hogs which can utilize the waste to the best advantage should be the limiting factor in determining the number of hogs to the farm. On farms in the corn belt where hogs are raised simply to market the corn crop on the hoof, the number is controlled by the amount of corn which can profitably be raised to fatten them.

STILL TIME TO FORWARD GIFTS

War Department Will Transport Christmas Packages for Boys in France.

LAST SAILING DATE DEC. 5

Official Statement Issued by Post Office Department to Eliminate Confusion Regarding Regulations.

By EDWARD B. CLARK.

Washington.—From all over the United States queries come to Washington concerning the exact rules governing the sending of parcels to the members of the expeditionary forces in France. Confusion seems to prevail everywhere. It is due to a number of causes, the principal one of which seems to be that the instructions were sent out piecemeal and that some of the first rules were amended.

Here is the official statement on the subject which I have just secured from the post office department:

Western Newspaper Union. Gentlemen: In answer to your inquiry with reference to parcel post packages for the American Expeditionary Forces, I beg to advise you as follows: Parcel post for soldiers and civilians connected with the American Expeditionary Forces in France, when carefully packed and properly addressed, will be accepted by all postmasters for direct transmission through the mails. Such parcels may weigh up to seven pounds provided for the soldiers and civilians connected with the American Expeditionary Forces may contain anything that is admissible to the domestic parcel post except perishables which may spoil on the long journey to Europe.

Parcel post for the American Expeditionary Forces need not be packed in wooden boxes, but should be carefully packed in the strongest kind of pasteboard box to assure its safe arrival at the front. In addition to this parcel post service to the troops, the war department will undertake to carry Christmas parcels for the American Expeditionary Forces for the Commanding General, Port of Embarkation, Pier J, Hoboken, New Jersey, and are packed in wooden boxes not more than two cubic feet in volume, well strapped, and with a hinged or screw top. Such Christmas boxes may be sent to the Commanding Officer, Port of Embarkation, either by express or through the mails, and must not exceed 20 pounds in weight. The army will inspect the contents of each box and undertake its delivery from Hoboken to the addressee. The war department will receive Christmas packages up to December 5th.

Yours very truly, OTTO PRAEGER, Second Assistant Postmaster General.

Parcel Post Limit Seven Pounds. It will be noted that parcels weighing seven pounds but no more can be sent through the post office department all the way to France.

The twenty-pound parcels which are intended for Christmas gifts and which are to be delivered on Christmas day are sent by the war department from its port of embarkation at Hoboken, N. J. These parcels, which must not exceed twenty pounds in weight, can be sent to the address given in Hoboken in any way that the sender chooses.

Of course the post office department has been handling the smaller Christmas packages all the way through to France, but in order to insure their delivery on Christmas morning it was necessary to mail them by November 15. However, the fact that the mailing was too late for delivery on Christmas day does not mean that packages cannot still be sent by parcel post. They can be sent any day in the year at the rate of 12 cents for each pound sent, and this rate holds from whatever point in the United States the package is sent.

How Packages Must Be Addressed.

Packages for the soldiers must be addressed to the individual, with his company and his regiment and then must be added the words "American Expeditionary Forces." It is not necessary to add the name of the country. It will be noted that in the instructions given above and prepared in the second assistant postmaster general's office nothing is said specifically concerning the kind of things which may be sent to the soldiers and civilians connected with the expeditionary forces. It is perfectly proper to send sugar, provided it is properly wrapped. The reason sugar is spoken of here is because there seems to have been some misunderstanding about it.

Matches must not be sent in any circumstances. Neither must anything inflammable, except, of course, ordinary packing material, be included, nor must there be any chemical or fresh fruit in the packages. Candy can go if properly protected from melting up and ruining other things in the mail. Jars of fruit properly sealed and protected against breakage can be sent. Nothing of an explosive nature must be put into the parcels.

It is necessary that the parcel post packages weighing up to seven pounds shall be wrapped so that the post office authorities may examine their contents. The rules for the packages which the war department sends are given explicitly in the above official communication. It is desired to accentuate the fact that parcels up to seven pounds in weight can be sent by ordinary parcel post at any time of the year, but that Christmas boxes which are to go by the way of the war department at the address given above will not be forwarded if they are received at Hoboken later than December 5.

HOME TOWN HELPS

TREE PLANTING NEEDS CARE

Appearance of Grounds as Important as House Plans, Interior Decorations or Furniture.

While house plans, interior decorations and furniture play a prominent part in the life of the new home builder, care of the grounds about the house should likewise be given consideration, particularly as regards the planting of trees to trim up the general appearance of the house.

In tree planting great care, foresight and judgment are required, says a landscape artist. The selection of young trees, their proper setting apart and their care after planting make beautiful grounds possible. In shade tree planting as in the construction of a building, the plan for the completed work should be determined in advance, for the tree planter must picture to himself how his work will look a great number of years later and with him it rests whether the result is to be one of satisfaction or regret.

In making selections one must bear in mind that the tree must possess certain characteristics to be desirable. In the first place it must be hardy, capable of withstanding unfavorable conditions of city life such as poor soil, drought, smoke, gas, heat and dust, easily transplanted and propagated. It must have a straight stem, a rounded well filled head, well developed roots and be symmetrical in growth. They must to a great degree be immune from insect pests, retain their foliage in good condition through the summer until late fall and be clean in their habits of growth. The ideal shade tree must also be of medium growth and long lived. The desirability of developing good-sized shade trees as soon as possible after planting is admitted, and it is unfortunate that the trees growing most rapidly are the most undesirable.

NEVER TOO SOON TO BEGIN

Start is All That is Necessary in Planning House That One Some Day is Going to Build.

There are two kinds of people who are interested in the question of building houses: Those who have built one house and live in it, and those who are living in some one's else house. A pretty comprehensive statement, but really, who isn't interested in the matter of building a home?

Jones has a house of his own, and he is concerned with the thing he possesses, says an exchange. Smith, who owns no house, is concerned with something he lacks. Jones is homesick only when he is away from home. Smith can never be homesick in any place other than his home. Jones is an owner, a master, a liege lord of lands and all that is therein. Smith is a tenant, a payer of rent, a slave of tribute. Jones dwells on the right side of the door. Smith is eternally wishing that he did.

It is never too soon to begin planning that house which some day you are going to want to build. It is never too soon, but sometimes too late, to save the money for a start toward it. The start is all that is necessary.

The Knocker's Prayer.

In the case of Bloodworth vs Times Publishing Company, 193 Southwest-ern Reporter, 527, Justice Wood of the Arkansas supreme court said, in substance, that where defendants in one part of its paper referred to plaintiff as a "knocker," and it was alleged that he was the person specifically meant, it furnished the necessary colloquium to show that the following prayer published in the same paper applied to the plaintiff:

"The Knocker's Prayer: Lord, please don't let this town grow. I've been here for many years, and during that time I have fought every public improvement. I've knocked on everything and everybody. No firm or individual has established a business here without my doing all I could to put them out of business. I've lied about them, and would have stolen from them, if I had the courage. I am against building a new church, even though I gave nothing. I am against the electric light franchise being granted to George Booser, George Washington, or Jim Tom. It pains me, oh Lord, to see that in spite of my knocking the town is growing. Then, too, more people might come here, which would cause me to lose some of my pull. I ask, therefore, to keep this town at a standstill, that I may be one of the chiefs. Amen!"—The Docket.

Fishing on Sunday.

Sunday fishing, which has long been looked upon as sacrilegious in the Isle of Man, threatens to lose some of its terrors for the "unco gild," notes an exchange. Until recently the North of England and Scotch fishermen engaged in the Manx herring trade have kept Sunday so rigorously that they have remained in port from Saturday morning to Monday afternoon. Fishermen from the South, resenting the loss of two night's fishing, have tried to break through the tradition and a Fleetwood boat put out to sea one Sunday evening recently, returning the next day with a good catch. The buyers at first looked askance at the herring as "Sunday-caught," but finally they were sold at a fair price.

Prospective Competition. "Where's the tape line?" "I don't remember exactly," responded mother. "What do you want with it?" "I was just reading over the measurements of the Venus de Milo," explained the daughter with embarrassment.

SOON GAINS THREE POUNDS

Young Bostonian, Being Underweight for Navy, Uses Diet of Bananas, Eggs, Milk and Water.

In decided contrast to those few persons reported as resorting to subterfuge to escape war service, a young man squeezed into the navy here, says the Boston Globe, by putting on three and one-half pounds in less than that many hours. Literally he ate and drank his way into the service.

Reuben Figelman of 123 Diamond street, Walpole, a cornetist, came into the naval recruiting station to enlist as a bandman, but was rejected because he was two pounds under weight. He was greatly disappointed. Three hours later he came back and asked to be weighed again. He tipped the scales at 123½ this time, one and one-half pounds above the required weight.

"How'd you do it?" asked the recruiting officer. "Well," replied Reuben, "I ate six bananas and drank four glasses of egg and milk and four of water. Gee whiz, but I feel filled up!" He was accepted.

A Relief.

"Is your wife knitting for the soldiers?" "Yes," replied Mr. Meekton. "And I am highly pleased. Henrietta now has some occupation for her needles besides creating new neckties just for the fun of seeing how their colors become me."

A Change of Opinion.

Singing Master—Why, you have no voice at all. Singer—Well, but I always pay for my lessons double the amount paid by others. Singing Master—Say that again; your voice sounded much better, I thought.

Had to Quit.

"Saw a woman in a real quandary this time." "Where did it happen?" "On a car. She couldn't hang to a strap and quit."

Nerves All Unstrung?

Nervousness and nerve pains often come from weak kidneys. Many a person who worries over trifles and is troubled with neuralgia, rheumatic pains and backache would find relief through a good kidney remedy. If you have nervous attacks, with headaches, backaches, dizzy spells and sharp, shooting pains, try Doan's Kidney Pills. They have brought quick benefit in thousands of such cases.

A South Dakota Case

Mrs. Jim Hansen, 105 Holmes St., Redfield, S. D., says: "I can hardly describe the misery I endured from backache; my back felt as though it were broken. After I did a washing, my back was so lame, I could hardly move. My kidneys acted too often, my bladder was inflamed and my feet and hands swelled terribly. Three boxes of Doan's Kidney Pills cured me and I have been a well woman ever since."

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Alaskan Country Fair.

Alaska recently had its first country fair. At Anchorage in the Cooks Inlet country, a great competitive exhibit of agricultural, mining and fishing products was held. The Alaskan railroad commission gave the project all possible aid. There were baseball games and other field sports.

At the Lawyer's Club.

"Had a fellow advance an unusual reason today for dropping a lawsuit." "What was that?" "Said with the country at war people ought not to have internal differences."

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